

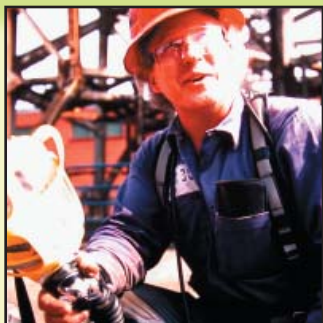
Safety in the Spotlight

The MINER Act and its implementation

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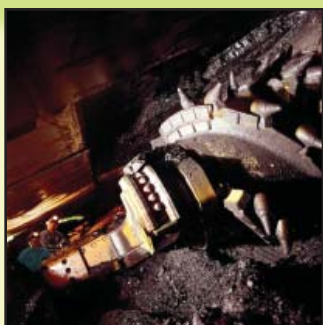
September 19, 2006

Bevill State Community College
Sumiton Campus
Sumiton, Ala



What's this all about?

To assist the industry in complying with the procedural and technological requirements of the Mine Improvement and New Emergency Response (MINER) Act, the National Mining Association and the Alabama Coal Association are holding a workshop to help mine operators and safety personnel understand their responsibilities under the new law.



Agenda

I. Emergency Response and Preparedness Plans

Design, Review and Continuing Obligations

Speakers: Mine Safety and Health Administration District Office Official, Industry Representative and State Official (if applicable)

II. Mine Rescue

Past, Present and Future

Speakers: State Officials, Industry Representative

III. Communication, Tracking and Breathing Technology

State-of-the-art

Speaker: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Representative

IV. Civil Penalties

How the changes impact your decision making process

Speakers: Representatives from Crowell & Moring LLP, Jackson Kelly PLLC, and Patton Boggs LLP

V. Mine Safety Technology and Training Commission

Improving mine safety

Speaker: Commission Member



General Information

Date:

Tuesday, September 19th

Time:

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Registration Fee:

\$50 per person

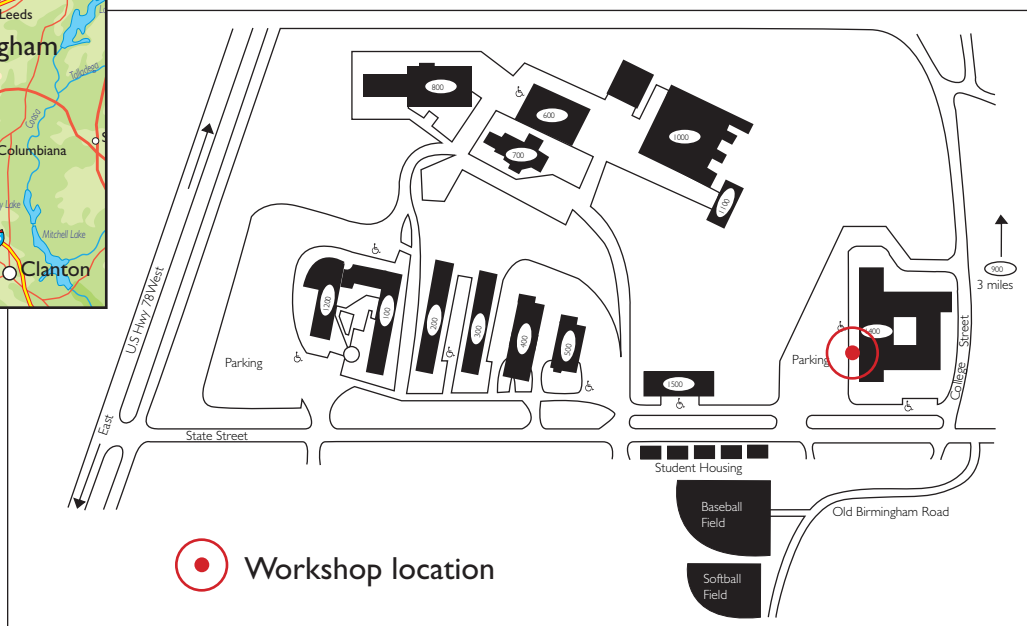
Location:

Bevill State Community College
Building 1400, Exhibit Hall
Sumiton, AL 35148
(205) 648-3271

From I-20/59, take exit 123 towards U.S. 78 West (Jasper). Continue on U.S. 78 for approximately 22 miles to the towns of Sumiton/Dora. The campus is located on the right side at the corner of U.S. 78 and State Street.



Sumiton Campus - Sumiton, AL



***To register for the September 19th workshop in Sumiton, Ala.,
please complete the form below:***

Registration deadline: Tuesday, September 12, 2006

Name _____

Nickname _____

Company _____

Mailing Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____

Fax _____

Email _____

Registration Fee

\$50.00

The registration fee includes: continental breakfast, coffee breaks, lunch and meeting materials.

Payment

_____ Check, payable to the National Mining Association

_____ Charge

_____ Visa _____ Mastercard _____ American Express

Cardholder Name _____

Card Account # _____

Expiration Date _____

Signature _____

Please return the completed registration form and payment to:

National Mining Association

Attn: Moya Phelleps

101 Constitution Avenue, NW

Suite 500 East

Washington, DC 20001

or fax to (202) 463-2665.

For workshop information, please email bwatzman@nma.org.

For registration questions, please email mphelleps@nma.org.